GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

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AGRICULTURAL SCIENTIST RECRUITMENT BOARD
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government has set up the Agricultural Scientist Recruitment Board (ASRB) for recruiting officers in Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR);

(b) if so, the composition of the said board;

(c) whether the some members of the said board have boycotted the selection procedure of the board in last three years;

(d) if so, the reasons therefor;

(e) the details of those officers who were selected by the board during the said period but yet to be appointed; and

(f) the action taken in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE(SHRI KANTILAL BHURIA)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) As per the Rules and Bye-laws of the Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) the Agricultural Scientists` Recruitment Board (ASRB) shall comprise of a full time Chairman and other members.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Does not arise.

(e) & (f): Only one appointment has not been made in view of restrain order of Hon`ble CAT Lucknow Bench. In all other cases recommendations of the ASRB after acceptance by the President ICAR, under rules, appointment orders have been issued.